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The Microsoft anti-trust case is about one thing alone.

It is about a company, that has become so dominant as to be able to deprive others, including competing software companies, of our right to the freedom to compete.

Microsoft has absolutely done that, and they continue to do it. This fight is a fight for our freedom to build the software that we want to build. Microsoft will never allow us to build software well, that competes with anything they offer.

I ask of the judge, please *DO NOT* support the Bush settlement. The only people saying it will fix the problems is Ashcroft, Bush, and Bill Gates. All of which have financially benefited from Microsoft.

America's entrepreneurs are being deprived of our freedom to compete.

That is what this case is all about.

I have read that Rupert Murdoch is scared of Microsoft's control and that makes me even more scared.

The *only* hope is at your feet judge. Please throw down the politically and financially motivated Bush/Ashcroft settlement and return to America's entrepreneurs, our right and the freedom to compete with Microsoft.

As it stands now, they control who competes, and they are making decisions that deprive of us of our rights to compete.

This case is a lot simpler than it would seem.

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